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NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, WILLIAM ANDREW MEACHAM and ITHIEL BLAKE NASON, lately carrying on business as Lumber Merchants and Miners in Cariboo, British Columbia, under the style of MEACHAM & NASON, and in Texas, United States of America, as stock raisers under the style of W. A. MEACHAM, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business at Cariboo will in future be conducted and all debts owing by or to the firm in Cariboo will be paid and received by I. B. Nason, and the business in Texas will in future be conducted and all debts owing by or to the firm in Texas will be paid and received by the said W. A. Meacham.

Dated the sixth day of September, A. D. Eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

W. A. MEACHAM.
I. B. NASON.

WITNESS to both signatures: ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, Richfield.

Barkerville, Sept. 7, 1878. se10dw1m

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE undersigned are requested to present them on or before the 30th September; and all persons indebted to the same are requested to call and settle before that date. G. C. KEAYS.

Victoria, 6th Sept., 1878. se7

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

In the matter of J. A. WEBSTER, an insolvent.

A DIVIDEND SHEET HAS BEEN PREPARED, open to objection, at the office of Messrs. WELCH, RITHET & Co., unti the Twentieth day of September instant.

R. P. RITHET, Assignee.

Victoria, B. C., 11th September, 1878. se12

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS SHUT UP FOUR Pigs, which he will sell, to defray expenses, unless they are claimed and taken away within 10 days from date. C. T. DUPONT.

Stadacona, Sept. 10, 1878. se11-10t

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NOTICE.

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Victoria, Aug. 30th, 1878. se1

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned as butchers, carrying on business at the "Liverpool Market," on Yates street, Victoria, under the name of Jackson, Goodacre & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the late firm are by the terms of the dissolution payable to John Goodacre, who will assume and pay all liabilities of the late firm of Jackson, Goodacre & Co.

The business will hereafter be conducted at the "Liverpool Market" by John Goodacre, under the name of John Goodacre & Co.

JOHN JACKSON,
JOHN GOODACRE.

Witness, Lyndon LeLeivre.

Victoria, 29th August, 1878. au30

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ALL LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS ADDRESSED TO THE HON. T. B. HUMPHREYS, PROVINCIAL SECRETARY AND MINISTER OF MINES, SHOULD BE MARKED "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE.

T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Dept.,
Victoria, 23rd July, 1878. jy24dw2m

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE SUPREME Court of British Columbia made in the cause of the Governor and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson Bay against Ermenigildo Grancini, the creditors of Alfred Waddington, late of Ottawa, Civil Engineer, deceased, who died on or about the 26th day of February, 1872, are by their solicitors, on or before the 15th day of October next, to come in and prove their debts before Charles E. Pooley, Esquire, Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at his office, Supreme Court House, James Bay, Victoria, Vancouver Island, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said decree.

The 22nd day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed to hear and adjudicate upon the claims.

Dated 17th day of July, 1878.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
Bastion St., Victoria, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.
jy17dw3m

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

TENDERS FOR GRADING, TRACKLAYING, &C.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned and endorsed "Tender Pacific Railway," will be received at this office up to noon of Wednesday the 1st day of January next, for the Grading, Tracklaying and other works of construction required to be executed on the following sections of the Canadian Pacific Railway:—

1. From the westerly end of the 26th contract at English River to Raleigh, a distance of about 50 miles.

2. From Raleigh to Eagle River, a distance of about 8 miles.

3. From Eagle River to the Easterly end of the 15th contract at Keewatin, a distance of about 67 miles.

4. From Yale to Kamloops Lake in British Columbia, a distance of about 125 miles.

Plans, etc., may be seen, and Specifications, approximate quantities, forms of tender, and other information obtained at the office of the Engineer in Chief at Ottawa.

A bill of quantities will be ready on or before December 1st, at the Dept. of Public Works.

No Tender will be entertained unless on the printed form, and unless the conditions are complied with.

The general Tender for construction of whole line under Railway Act of 1874, covers above sections; but separate tenders are asked under the ordinary conditions of the Department.

By order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 13th August, 1878. au30dw

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned as linen drapers, carrying on business at the Victoria House, Victoria, under the name of Denny & Spencer, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the late firm are by the terms of the dissolution payable to William Denny, who will assume and pay all liabilities of the late firm of Denny & Spencer, and carry on the business on his own account.

Dated 2nd September, 1878.

WILLIAM DENNY,
DAVID SPENCER.

Witness—W. Pollard. se3

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

HIE LEE, CORMORANT STREET, REQUESTS all persons who are indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the 15th of October next; and all persons to whom he is owing money are requested to present their accounts for payment before that date.

Victoria, 14th August, 1878. au15 2m

SAINT ANNE, OTTAWA RIVER

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE SEcretary of Public Works, and endorsed "Tender for Canal and Lock at St. Anne," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails on TUESDAY THE 8TH DAY OF OCTOBER next, for the construction of a Lock and the formation of approaches to it on the landward side of the present lock at St. Anne.

A map of the locality, together with plans and specification of the works to be done, can be seen at this office and at the Resident Engineer's office, St. Anne, on and after TUESDAY THE 24TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER next, at either of which places printed forms of Tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms and—in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of $2000 must accompany the Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfilment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required by the deposit of money to the amount of *five per cent.* on the bulk sum of the contract, of which the sum sent in with the Tender will be considered a part.

Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the work.

To each tender must be attached the actual signatures of two responsible and solvent persons, residents of the Dominion, willing to become sureties for the carrying out of these conditions, as well as the due performance of the works embraced in the Contract.

The Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Ottawa, 19th August, 1878. se3dw

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS TO THE HON. C. A. WALKEM, CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF LANDS & WORKS, ARE REQUESTED BY THE UNDERSIGNED TO ENDORSE THE WORD "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPES COVERING SUCH COMMUNICATIONS.

A. S. FARWELL,
Surveyor-General.

Land and Works Dept.,
Victoria, July 22, 1878. jy23dw

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POLITICAL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN,—I AM INDUCED TO OFFER myself as a candidate to represent you in the House of Commons of Canada.

Being persuaded that the policy of the Liberal-Conservative party is the one best calculated to advance the welfare of this Province, as well as that of the Dominion at large, I shall be prepared to give Sir John A. Macdona d and that party my earnest support.

I hold that the Dominion Government has no legitimate excuse for further delay in the commencement of railway construction in British Columbia, and I have heretofore contended that, "whatever determination may be arrived at by the engineers as to the route on the Mainland, the Carnarvon Terms must be strictly adhered to by the early construction of the Nanaimo and Esquimalt Railway."

As regards the Graving Dock at Esquimalt, I entertain a strong hope that the Imperial Government will see the necessity of accepting the proposition made by the late Government of this Province, and take over the Dock and complete it as an Imperial work. I consider the refusal of the present Government of the Dominion to contribute the sum of $250,000, which was promised by their predecessors in aid of this work as highly reprehensible. Should the Imperial Government not see fit to accede to our proposal in this matter, I have no doubt a change of government in Canada would result, not only in affording us the means of carrying out this important work, but in the faithful recognition of all our Treaty rights.

I have always been of opinion that the young and struggling industries of a new country require protection, and I shall be prepared to seek for such a revision of the existing tariff as may be suitable to the exigencies of this Province.

Fully recognizing the fact that "Union is strength," my best efforts, should you do me the honor of electing me, shall be directed towards obtaining unanimity of action between the representatives of this Province.

Before the day of election I shall have full opportunities of addressing you in various parts of the district, and shall, as far as possible, prosecute a personal canvass.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. C. ELLIOTT.

Victoria, Sept. 14, 1878. se15

ELECTORS!
RESERVE YOUR PLEDGES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—HAVING BEEN CALLED UPON by a large number of merchants, farmers, workingmen and others to represent Vancouver District in the House of Commons at the ensuing general election, and believing that there never was a period in the history of our adopted country more critical than the present—when honest, industrious men, who constitute the bone and sinew of the commonwealth, should look after their rights—when commercial men who are in the channels of trade—enterprising men who develop the resources of the country—workingmen whose honest toil revolves the wheel of commerce and puts the whole machinery in motion—should give that attention and care to public interests which are justly expected of every true patriot and loyal citizen. And having, moreover, been intimately acquainted with the political interests of the Dominion in the Eastern Provinces, and having helped to place men in power who have been the workingman's friends and the friends of progress, such as the Hons. Sir J. A. Macdonald, Ontario; S. L. Tilley, N. B.; Dr. Tupper, N. S.; and J. C. Pope, P. E. I.; I shall, if elected by your suffrages, be found working shoulder to shoulder with such men for the country's weal.

I am led to this determination for the simple reason that the present Government have failed to act justly with British Columbia, after five years of unlimited power. They have given us no definite hope of the immediate construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and no change of Tariff on account of our isolated and distant geographical position. I advocate therefore:

1. Immediate railway construction and the honorable fulfilment of what is known as the Carnarvon Terms.

2. The erection of a Drydock at once as being, like the Railway, not only a Provincial but also a national necessity.

3. The importation free of duty of all material required for the rigging and fitting of ships that cannot be procured in this Province.

4. A just and equitable adjustment of both Export and Import Dues from a reciprocal point of view, which would benefit largely the Commercial, Mining Agricultural and Lumbering interests of the Districts as well as of the whole Province.

5. I would also strive to secure a new Postoffice for the thriving city of Nanaimo, and failing in that, some improvement at least upon the shameful neglect of its present postal facilities.

Other local and provincial wants which may call for legislative redress shall receive, if I am elected, my serious attention and warmest support.

I shall take an early opportunity of holding public meetings in the various sections of your wide and extensive district (of which due notice will be given) at which I shall, as also in private intercourse, fully explain the course I intend to pursue, and hope as the result of that to receive your generous support.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. J. McLELLAN.

Nanaimo, June 14th, 1878. je30dw

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOOKE, LAK SAANICH, COWICHAN, NANAIMO AND COMOX.

GENTLEMEN:—The very great favor with which my proposal to become a candidate for the representation of Vancouver District in the House of Commons has been received, although just on the eve of an election, and the satisfaction manifested by my numerous friends from Sooke to Comox, induce me to add my name to the number already soliciting your suffrages.

Several years have elapsed since I contested and nearly carried the seat for which I am again an aspirant. Then I was comparatively unknown and a stranger to many in the District. From 1872 to the present time the exercise of my duties as Superintendent of Education has brought me into personal contact with most of the electors. I trust that nearly seven years' educational work has secured for me such a reputation as will induce you to believe that if chosen as your representative at Ottawa I shall carry the same honesty of purpose, industry and energy into the political arena that my many friends in every part of the Province give me the credit of having shown in the establishment and conduct of our school system.

Experience and observation have only confirmed me in the political opinions which I had the honor to enunciate when prosecuting my canvass in the early days of Confederation. We have everything to gain and nothing to lose by a change in the Government at Ottawa. I need hardly announce, therefore, that I am still faithful in my allegiance to the party of which Sir John A. Macdonald is the leader. At the same time, if elected, I cannot promise to give that great party, either in opposition or in possession of the Treasury Benches, a blind, unreasoning and slavish support; because it can easily be imagined that questions may arise when to do so would be detrimental to the best interests of your large and influential district. Those interests shall always be paramount to every party consideration.

The claims upon the Dominion Government for the construction of the Island Railway, in which you are particularly interested, must be held inviolate. While other districts have been filling up with industrious immigrants, the settlement of Vancouver has been retarded by the withdrawal of all the Crown lands from preemption in the railway belt, thus rendering it impossible to form an estimate of the injury, direct and indirect, that has been perpetrated by the "how-not-to-do-it" policy of the Mackenzie Administration.

The present Tariff is not suited to all sections of the Dominion. I believe that a measure can be devised that will be fair and equitable to all the Provinces, and tend to foster and encourage manufacturing, agricultural and other interests throughout Canada. Being quite alive to the necessity of great caution in dealing with this question, I will here assure the electors that, if successful at the polls, their interests shall be made paramount to every other consideration when the proper time arrives for legislating upon a subject of so much importance.

With regard to questions of a local nature, such as postal, telegraphic, marine, etc., etc., which may come under the purview of the general government, I will, if returned, omit no opportunity of representing your wants and claims at the proper time and in the proper quarter.

No time will be lost in prosecuting a personal canvass throughout the district, and whenever practicable public meetings will be held, which will enable me to enter more into detail on the above-mentioned subjects, and touch upon others that cannot be discussed in the space usually allotted to an address of this description.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your very ob't serv't,
JOHN JESSOP.

Victoria, 9th Sept., 1878. se10dw

MR. A. BUNSTER

Is a Candidate for the Commons in Vancouver District.
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MR. A. C. ELLIOTT

WILL BE A CANDIDATE TO REPRESENT VICTORIA DISTRICT IN THE DOMINION HOUSE OF COMMONS AT THE ENSUING GENERAL ELECTION. jy7tf

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POLITICAL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—In offering myself as a candidate for your suffrages I deem it incumbent on me to state that if returned to serve you in the Dominion Parliament I shall give an earnest support to the Liberal-Conservative party, led by Sir John A. Macdonald. At the same time I shall not support that or any other party who may fail to fulfil the conditions of the Terms of Union and the Carnarvon Settlement.

Railway Construction has been unnecessarily delayed by Mr. Mackenzie's Government, and the fair fame of Canada has been tarnished by the failure of that Government to fulfil the obligations contained in the Carnarvon Settlement and the Terms of Union. The line from Esquimalt to Nanaimo should be built and construction on the Mainland commenced at once. As to the adoption of any *particular route* for the Railway, we can only suggest. There is no doubt, in my mind, that the route by way of Bute Inlet to Esquimalt is the most desirable from a national and economic standpoint. I shall not fail to urge that fact upon the attention of the Canadian Government and Parliament; but should I fail to convince them of the advantages of the Bute-Esquimalt route over all others, I shall favor the immediate prosecution of work on the line wherever it may be located. Overland communication is of the utmost importance to this Province. DELAY MEANS STAGNATION, and British Columbia should be the last to place in Canada's hands an excuse for further delaying the commencement of railway construction, by insisting on the reopening of the surveys, when a memorial has just been passed by the Local Parliament demanding immediate commencement of the railway.

Isolated as we are, I consider the Canadian Tariff unsuited to this Province. That Tariff was accepted by British Columbia in 1872 in the anticipation of the early commencement of railway construction. That anticipation not having been realized, I shall press upon the notice of Canada the importance of granting the Province the right to regulate its own tariff until the completion of the railway. Whether that right be accorded or not, I shall press for adequate protection to the producers and manufacturers of the Province so that they may compete successfully in our markets with the products of old established communities.

My constant aim shall be to harmonize sectional differences and allay sectional prejudices. I shall endeavor to work with all the members from the Pacific Coast so as to ensure a solid vote in the House whenever British Columbia's rights are attacked.

Every effort compatible with the honor and dignity of the Province should be made to secure railway construction during the interval that will elapse before the period fixed in the memorial just forwarded by our Government for withdrawal from the Union shall have expired. Failing to secure our rights, I shall be prepared to demand not only separation but indemnity for damages sustained through the broken obligations of Canada.

I believe that Canada is in honor and equity bound to pay the Province £50,000 in aid of dry dock construction, and if elected I shall press for the fulfilment of that as well as every other obligation.

To legislate in the interest of a united province will be my constant aim, and if honored with your confidence I shall do my utmost at Ottawa to check the influx of the Chinese and their employment on public works within the Province.

In conclusion, I beg leave to thank the many electors who have expressed their appreciation of my reasons for declining to submit my claims to the consideration of a self-constituted convention; and beg to assure every one who may feel an interest in the welfare of the Province that I shall endeavor, if elected, to the utmost of my ability to prove myself worthy of the confidence reposed in me.

With this assurance I respectfully solicit your votes and influence, and

Remain, Gentlemen,
Yours obediently,
J. P. DAVIES.

Victoria, B.C., September 16th, 1878.

MR. FRANK PAGDEN

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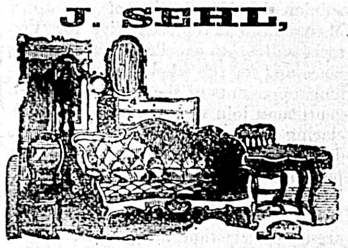

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SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT. 22ND, 1878.

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THE SITUATION.

The political situation has remained without change since the meeting of Wednesday. Mr. ELLIOTT and Mr. DAVIES adhere to their then expressed determination not to retire from a canvass in which their friends think they will have as good a chance for the second place on the ticket as Mr. DECOSMOS. Every one seems to be of opinion that the election of Sir JOHN MACDONALD as representative for Victoria will be an excellant thing for this place and for the whole Province. Lifelong opponents of the right honorable gentleman join with his friends in declaring that personal and political predelictions should be cast aside in the present crisis and that Sir JOHN should have the first place on the ticket returned for Victoria City. If, they argue, the election is by acclamation, then Mr. DECOSMOS will be the senior member, and Sir JOHN will owe his seat to Mr. DECOSMOS instead of to the electors. If, on the other hand, a poll be held Sir JOHN will be sure to gain the first place, and Mr. DAVIES, Mr. ELLIOTT or Mr. DECOSMOS the second on the poll. There is considerable force in this contention. It would never do for Sir JOHN MACDONALD to owe his seat to any one man; and at the same time we should have wished to see the election pass off without a contest. Mr. ELLIOTT's plan for the several candidates to draw lots for the second seat is too characteristic of the convention just squelched by the electors. On Friday we suggested that the several candidates should arrange between themselves as to which should withdraw. No arrangement has been come to. It is believed that none can be effected for the reason that those electors who feel a warm interest in the return of Sir JOHN A. MACDONALD have expressed the determination that he shall occupy the *first place*—the head of the poll—and thus be made senior member. Such being the case a contest seems inevitable and the friends of the three local aspirants should gird up their loins for the contest, which is likely to be warm, if not bitter.

PRINCESS LOUISE.

Says the *Queen:*—Princess Louise, in her new position, will be able to continue those good works to which she has accustomed herself in this country, and she will be able to show, as the Princess Royal and the Princess Alice have already done, what a Princess can do to influence the well-being of the people over whom she is called to preside. Princess Louise will be missed in England. She is patroness, not only in name but in act and work, of so many charitable movements in England and of so many societies whose intention it is to help forward the education of woman, that her absence will be a real loss. She has always been so graciously ready to give time and attention when she has been asked to do so, to preside at opening meetings, to give away prizes, to exercise for good the influence that her position gives her, that her absence will be felt; and when the time comes for her return to England she will be welcomed gladly back again. But in the meantime, much work lies before her, for the doing of which the education which life has been giving her, has been helping to prepare her. She will carry with her to Canada many earnest and sincere wishes for her personal well-being, and much hope that she may show among our own people there, as well as her sisters have done on the continent, the good results of that excellent training which our beloved Queen has so carefully bestowed upon her daughters. The influence of women, always great, is never so much so as when exercised by women in high rank, and when that rank is the highest, the good which they do bears fruit in every lower grade and poeple.

PROSPERITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

New South Wales, says the Liverpool *Courier*, is the mother of the Australasian Colonies, and on that account and her unwavering prosperity we may regard with indulgence the complacent manner in which she esteems herself superior to all the rest of the *parvenu* settlements. Certainly her prosperity seems to rest on a firm basis. From her revenue returns for 1877, just published, we find that her income has exceeded the estimate by $840,000. She shows a large increase in customs; an increase of £400,000 in land sales; an increase of £120,000 in railway receipts; and an increase of £33,000 in telegraphs. Naturally her expenditure has increased also, but she retains a surplus of £250,000. Her surplus in 1876 was very much greater, but it was due to increased land sales in that period. Such a source of revenue is necessarily variable, and of course it cannot be permanent, although it may serve for some time yet, seeing that the Government has still a very large area to dispose of. She has got more than 3,000,000 cattle, and 24,500,000 sheep. One good feature in her condition is that her railways are remarkably well managed, and promise to be soon not merely self-supporting, but a valuable remunerative property to the state.

CARIBOO.

The news received from Cariboo is very encouraging and will no doubt restore the confidence in Cariboo quartz to a great extent. Much credit is due the Enterprise Company in not allowing the quartz interest to remain idle, and especially to the Chairman of the Company, Mr. F. NEUFELDER, to whose untiring exertions, in spite of much opposition, it is mainly due that the WALKER location was bought by the Company. The British Columbia Milling and Mining Company deserve the thanks of the people of the Province for the alacrity with which they loaned the required machinery to the Enterprise, thus enabling the latter Company to get to work this year. The British Columbia Company's stock showed an upward tendency yesterday on receipt of the promising news.

Australian Gleanings.

Sydney will have an international exhibition next year.

Business in Melbourne and all interior towns continues dull.

It has been resolved to hold a juvenile industrial exhibition in Melbourne next year.

Melbourne has congratulated Earl Beaconsfield upon the settlement of the Eastern question.

The New Zealand railroads, owned and operated by the Government, netted $777,840 last year.

Female suffrage is not included in the new electoral bill before the New Zealand Legislature.

Gold has been found in the Magdala mine, Victoria, at a depth of 2000 feet. This is the deepest lead in that colony.

The bark James Service was wrecked on the Western Australian coast; all on board perished. Several members of a theatrical company were on board.

New Zealand is running several woolen mills on a paying basis with imported skilled labor from Scotland, and is exporting tweeds to the home market. No Chinese employed.

The treasurer of South Australia, in his budget speech, has announced a new loan for railways and public works, and an income tax of 6d in the pound, to meet the deficiency in the revenue.

The French bark Success was wrecked fifty miles from Russell island, Northern Queensland. Four of the crew were drowned in getting into the boats. The survivors landed on the island after being some time at sea, and were reduced almost to the verge of starvation. They had only a dozen biscuits left among them when found, and had previously lived on a biscuit a day.

The Constitutional Reform Bill introduced by Mr. Berry, Prime Minister of Victoria, to prevent Parliamentary deadlocks, deprives the Council of all control over money bills, which they cannot reject or amend, but only pass; and in the event of their failing to do that within one month the bill is to become law, and as in ordinary legislation in the event of a bill being passed twice by the Assembly it shall be considered to have passed until the Council demand a poll of the whole people.

Wellington, New Zealand, is establishing an iron shipbuilding yard. This is one of the windiest places in the southern hemisphere. During a gale lasting two days recently, kerosine tins, pieces of corrugated iron, brickbats, and other miscellaneous projectiles darkened the air, while one piece of tin, weighing several pounds, danced through the town at the rate of 80 miles an hour, Plate glass windows were blown in, several houses were blown down, and the boats and shipping in the harbor were sadly damaged.

Australia and New Zealand.

The Victoria Parliament is in session. The Postmaster-General thinks favorably of establishing a penny postage and carrying newspapers free. Sir Bryan O'Loghlen gave great offence in the House one night, his remarks being received with cries of "Home Rule may do for Clare."

Rabbits have become such a nuisance in Victoria that attempts are being made to exterminate them by means of sulphur fumes.

The Colonial Treasurer of Victoria, in his budget speech, Melbourne, Aug. 16th, said the revenue last year had been £4,672,000, and the expenditure £4,860,000. A loan for £9,000,000 would be required for railroads and other public works; £4,000,000 would be asked for this year.

Latest Sydney advices state that there was more animation in business than for some time previously.

The New Zealand Legislature is in session. The financial statement has been delivered. The revenue for the past year showed a surplus of £128,468. The receipts for the past year amounted to £4,445,560. The estimated revenue for the current financial year was granted, and Sir George Grey's Government proposes to reduce the duty on tea by £28,000 and on sugar by £68,500 a year. The duty on Australian wines is to be reduced to 2s. per gallon. It is proposed to levy a tax of one half-penny per 20s. on the marketable value of land, excluding improvements; 3d. per 20s. on the net profits of joint stock companies and 1½d. per gallon upon Colonial beer. Land to the value of £500, or $2000, is exempted from taxation. The budget has been well received, brewers anticipating its effect by increasing the selling price 2d. per gallon.

The New Zealand Legislature proposes abolishing ad valorem duties.

The Khedive Bounced.

The Khedive of Egypt has abdicated his power as ruler, and his place is filled by Nuber Pasha—the Khedive restoring all his estates to the state. Thus has fallen a great man of the East, who has overwhelmed himself and his nation by sheer profligacy and prodigality. From being the richest man in the world, he has been reduced to comparative poverty under extravagance and shrinkage of values. His fortune has gone, and with it his political power. In truth, the Khedive is not the best examplar of public or private life, and has fallen prey to his own follies and excesses. As long ago as 1875 he was reported as a poor man of vast and heavily incumbered estates. He then owned 450,000 acres of land, which was about one-tenth of the cultivated soil of Egypt. He then owed $25,000,000 on this estate, at 10 per cent. interest, besides an enormous floating debt. The hard times pinched him until he was forced to sell his shares in the Suez canal, which had sunk for him $87,500,000, of which he received from England $20,000,000. The successor of the Khedive is a Christian, and was removed from the Ministry three years ago because he insisted upon certain reforms which were not palatable to the old Turkish party. He is western in all his ideas, and versed in European politics and modern finances.

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F. BRAUN, Secretary,
Public Works Department, Ottawa.
Ottawa, May 20, 1878.

NOTICE--EXTENSION OF TIME.

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Public Works Department.
Ottawa, 2nd September, 1878. se22

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TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—I have to state MOST POSITIVELY that I will under no consideration relinquish the contest for representative to Ottawa, and for the following reasons:

BECAUSE—Both Mr. DeCosmos and myself belonging to the same Party, the election of either will make no difference to Sir John A. Macdonald.

BECAUSE—If the election is allowed to go by acclamation it will place Sir John in the false position of Junior Member. This, in the interest of the Province, is undesirable.

BECAUSE—I refused at the Public Meeting on Wednesday, 18th inst., to retire from the contest until my supporters desired their pledges returned to them.

BECAUSE—Mr. DeCosmos refused my challenge to contest, by an informal Election, the District prior to nomination day.

BECAUSE, my contesting the district with Mr. DeCosmos cannot jeopardize the return of Sir John A. Macdonald, as all parties are resolved on electing the great leader of the Conservative party at the head of the poll.

BECAUSE, this constituency is to be worked for and not to be a gift to anyone.

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos has not issued his address, and I have stated plainly that I am a supporter of the Liberal-Conservative party. What assurance have the electors to-day that Mr. DeCosmos will adhere to Sir John?

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos has occupied a seat in the Commons ever since Confederation, and has not as yet introduced and carried any measure in the interest of the Province.

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos in his speeches has stated "that his has not met with a refusal during the whole of the political canvass," and I desire to test his veracity.

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos is using the name of Sir John A. Macdonald to influence the electors on his behalf.

BECAUSE, Mr. DeCosmos was the only British Columbia representative who deserted Sir John when the Conservative party was defeated in 1873.

BECAUSE, my supporters, being of opinion that I can defeat Mr. DeCosmos at the poll on the 21st of October, desire that I shall contest the district.

BECAUSE, my withdrawing from the contest will not prevent any other person contesting for the seat.

BECAUSE, there being no danger of Sir John A. Macdonald being defeated, this constituency objects to Mr. DeCosmos riding into a seat upon the shoulders of Sir John A. Macdonald.

Your obedient servant,
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By order,
D. GUTMANN, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 20, 1878. se21dw

NOTICE.

MRS. REDGRAVE

HAVING RETURNED FROM SAN FRANCISCO wishes to give the public notice that she has resumed the business formerly carried on by her of DRESSMAKING, at the old stand Fort street, above Quadra.

☞ Ladies' Dresses accurately Cut and Fitted in all the latest styles. MRS. REDGRAVE.
Sept. 19th, 1878. se20

PACIFIC TELEGRAPH HOTEL,

STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD

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ANDREW ASTRICO, - Proprietor.

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN HOTEL in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, $5.50 to $6.50; Board and Loding per day $1. Single Meals 37 1-2 cents; Beds, 50 cents.

TERMS—Cash in advance.

☞ Fire-proof Safe in the House.☜
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO NOON of the 23rd inst., for the workmanship and materials required in the construction of additions and alterations to a Dwelling House, James Bay.

Parties may tender for the whole or the separate parts.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES SYME, Architect.
Victoria, Sept. 16th, 1878. se17

FASHION

LIVERY AND SALE STABLES

FORT STREET, VICTORIA,

FRANK SAUNDERS, PROPRIETOR.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S SADDLE HORSES, Carriages and double and single Buggies.

Loose Boxes and the best of accommodation for horses boarded by the day, week or month.

MARKET EXCHANGE SALOON

Adjoining the Fashion Livery and Sale Stables.

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS ON APPLICATION at the Bar.

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☞ A FEW GOOD BEDS. je8 3m

THE STAR SALOON

AND SHOOTING GALLERY

HAVE REMOVED

THEIR PREMISES TO THE

THEATRE BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.

HAVING LAID IN A LARGE STOCK OF AMmunition consisting of a choice

ASSORTMENT OF WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS,

The proprietor offers the public a chance to draw a *bead.*
au30 H. WARNER & CO., Proprietors.

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FOR SALE BY

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WHARF STREET.
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A FIRST-CLASS TRIMMER AND TWO APprentices. Apply to

MRS. WILLIAMSON, Dressmaker,
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A COMPETENT FLOUR MILLER TO TAKE charge of a Flour Mill at Lillooet. References required. Apply to

WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Victoria, B.C., 5th Sept., 1878. se6

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A GOOD GANG SAW FILER FOR MOODYVILLE Saw Mills, Burrard Inlet. Apply to

WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Victoria, B.C., 4th Sept., 1878. se5

WANTED

A FEMALE SERVANT, TO COOK, WASH, IRON and do the house-work for a gentleman and two children. Address, "D. W.," *Colonist* Office.
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Royal Exchange Building.

FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

BETWEEN BROUGHTON AND COURTENAY STREETS.

MRS. L. H. WILTON

Receives by Every Steamer from San Francisco

FRESH FRUITS

Which are offered CHEAP for CASH. se7

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between the undersigned, carrying on business as wholesale merchants in Victoria, under the firm name of Strouss, Briggs, Kurtz & Co.; and in London, England, under the firm name of C. Strouss & Co., having expired by limitation, the firm is dissolved. Parties having claims against the firm will present the same for payment at the office, Wharf street; and all those indebted are hereby notified that over-due accounts and notes not paid before the 10th of October, 1878, will be handed to an Attorney for collection. Mr. Jas. McB. Smith is hereby appointed to collect all outstandings, and authorized to grant receipts in the name of the late firm.

Dated at Victoria, September 13, 1878.

DAVID KURTZ,
THOS. L. BRIGGS,
C. STROUSS.
J. E. BLOOMINGDALE,
by his Attorney, J. McB. SMITH.
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SIR JOHN A. MACDONALD

WILL BE A CANDIDATE FOR

VICTORIA DISTRICT.

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To the Electors of Vancouver District.

GENTLEMEN:—I HAVE TO REQUEST THAT you will be so kind as to excuse my personally prosecuting my canvass amongst you any further as I feel my services to your interests, as well as to those of the Province at large, are demanded by my time being devoted to the candidature of Sir John A. Macdonald. I remain,

Your obedient servant,
se19dw A. BUNSTER.

GILBERT TOMPKINS,

WHEELWRIGHT, CARRIAGE-MAKER & BLACKSMITH,

HAS REMOVED TO HIS SPACIOUS NEW PREmises on Douglas and Johnson streets, and is now prepared to execute all work entrusted to him in the best style and at

THE LOWEST RATES.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF VEHICLE

MADE AND WARRANTED.

FREIGHT AND FARM WAGONS A SPECIALTY.

Horseshoeing Carefully Attended to.

Orders from the Country promptly filled.

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THE ACCIDENT

INSURANCE COMP'Y

OF CANADA.

$3 PER ANNUM PAID TO THIS COMPANY will secure

$1,000 IN CASE OF DEATH,

OR $21 PER MONTH IN CASE OF ACCIDENT.

Extra Premiums for Hazardous Occupations.

T. ALLSOP & CO.,
Langley St., Victoria,
GENERAL AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.
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FRESH IMPORTATION

— AT —

JEWELL'S.

BEDROOM SETS in variety,
DINING CHAIRS in Walnut, Oak and Rosewood,
ROCKING CHAIRS Ladies' and Children's
EXTENSION TABLES, BUREAUS,
BEDROOM TABLES, WASHSTANDS,
CHINA MATTING, WINDOW HOLLAND,
MATTRESSES, Straw, Wool and Spring,
CROCKERY, LAMPS AND GLASSWARE,
STOVES and other goods too numerous to mention.

SOMETHING NEW IN WINDOW BLINDS,

au15 2m At H. JEWELL'S, Fort St.

VANCOUVER DISTRICT -- POLITICAL MEETINGS.

MR. A. J. McLELLAN

WILL MEET THE ELECTORS AT COMOX ON Thursday, 19th inst., at 7½ o'clock p. m., at the School. At Maple Bay on Tuesday, 24th inst., at 12 o'clock m. At Cowichan, at Mr. Kinnear's, at 12 o'clock m. on the 25th inst. se17dw2w

OYSTERS! OYSTERS!

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

BY THE SACK, GALLON, QUART, PINT, OR BY THE HUNDRED.

I BEG LEAVE TO INFORM THE CItizens of British Columbia that I am Sole Agent of the Olympia Incorporated Oyster Company. I wish also to inform the public that the Olympia Incorporated Oyster Co. is the only Company that can produce a good oyster, as no Oysters are sent to market that have not been planted in extra oyster beds three years before they are shipped. Our Oysters are the best in taste and largest in size. Please call or address

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FIREMAN'S FUND INSURANCE CO.,

OF SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

CASH ASSETS OVER $800,000.

THE LOSSES PAID BY THIS COMPANY DURing the past Fifteen Years exceed **$3,500,000.**

MARINE RISKS TO ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD COVERED BY

H. F. HEISTERMAN,

AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA, VICTORIA.
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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES THIS OPPORTUnity of thanking the ladies of Victoria for their patronage extended to her for the last ten years, and also begs to inform them that she has received an assortment of

BERLIN WOOL AND PATTERNS,

Which she offers at REDUCED PRICES, also Butterick's Fashion for Fall. Embroidery, Stamping, Pinking, Dressmaking, Plain and Fancy Sewing done to order.

M. M. JAMIESON,

CORNER VIEW AND BROAD STREETS, VICTORIA.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST RECEIVED

—AT—

LONDON HOUSE,

NEW GOODS

SUITABLE FOR THE

COMING SEASON!

—COMPRISING—

DRESS GOODS IN ALL THE NEW SHADES.
BLANKETS.
FLANNELS.
SHAWLS.
EIDER DOWN QUILTS.
HYDE PARK CARRIAGE RUGS.
CURTAIN REP AND DAMASK.
HABERDASHERY.
EMB'D AND PRINTED TABLE COVERS.
WOOL GOODS.
HOSIERY.
BRUSSELS KID GLOVES.
LACE AND LINEN SETS.
VELVET AND VELVETEEN
RIBBONS.
TRIMMINGS.
UMBRELLAS.
FRILLINGS.
CLOTH JACKETS.
REAL ASTRACHAN JACKETS.
REAL SEALSKIN JACKETS.
FELT AND STRAW HATS.
FLOWERS.
FEATHERS.
UNDERCLOTHING.

ALSO, A LARGE STOCK OF

TRIMMED MILLINERY BONNETS

OF THE LATEST STYLE AND FASHION.

se15 **SHEARS & PARTRIDGE.**

GOODACRE & DOOLEY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

BUTCHERS,

SOUTHEAST CORNER OF GOVERNMENT AND JOHNSON STREETS,

PURVEYORS BY APPOINTMENT TO

H. M. ROYAL NAVY AND THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL AND COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN,

THE LARGEST AND CHOICEST ASSORTMENT OF

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES, AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

QUEEN'S MARKET, VICTORIA, V. I.
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VICTORIA HOUSE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE AT

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

THE BALANCE OF

SUMMER STOCK!

CONSISTING OF

LADIES' STUFF AND LINEN SUITS AND DRESSES

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S JACKETS,

SKIRTS, LACE JACKETS AND SHAWLS, HATS, INFANTS' CLOAKS

SILK MOIRES, IRISH POPLINS,

BOYS' SUITS, LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING, ETC., ETC.

All of which are marked at Prices to ensure a Clearance before the arrival of New Goods.

se4 **WILLIAM DENNY.**

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of Victoria City, To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE to the Electors of the Electoral District aforesaid that, in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the Seventeenth day of August, 1878, I require the presence of the said electors in front of the Police Barracks, Bastion Street, in the City of Victoria, on Friday, the 4th day of the month of October, 1878, from Noon until Two of the clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating two persons to represent them in the House of Commons of Canada: and that in case a Poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such Poll will be opened on Monday, the 21st day of the month of October, in the year 1878, from the hour of Nine in the morning till Five of the clock in the afternoon, in each of the Polling Districts, that is to say:—

No. 1. County Court Room, Bastion St.
No. 2. Council Chambers, Government St.
No. 3. Hook and Ladder House, Government St.
No. 4. Central Hall, View St.
No. 5. Deluge Engine House, Yates St.
No. 6. Tiger Engine House, Johnson St.
No. 7. Richmond, Mount Tolmie Road.
No. 8. Parsons Bridge.

And further, that on Monday the 21st day of October, at 6 o'clock p. m., I shall open the Ballot Boxes, sum up the votes given for the several candidates and return as elected the two having the majority of votes.

Of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand this 16th day of September, in the year 1878.

THOS. HARRIS,
se17dw Returning Officer.

C. F. BEAVEN,

CARRIAGE MAKER,

PANDORA ST, OPP. BROAD, VICTORIA.

HAS ON HAND OR IN COURSE OF construction a number of

CARRIAGES AND LIGHT BUGGIES

TOP-BUGGIES A SPECIALTY,

CAN BE SOLD CHEAPER AND ARE AS GOOD AS THOSE IMPORTED.

PAINTING AND REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. se7

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, BEING OBLIGED TO leave the Province on account of ill health, begs leave to tender his most heartfelt thanks to his numerous customers for the kind patronage bestowed upon him since 1862.

He has also great pleasure in recommending to them

MESSRS. LANGLEY & CO.,

From which firm they may obtain any of his various preparations for beautifying and preserving the HAIR. Also, to

MESSRS. SHEARS & PARTRIDGE,

Of the London House, where may be had all the articles used by ladies in dressing the hair, fresh supplies of which will be constantly forwarded by the undersigned from Paris.

MESSRS. GEIGER & BECKER,

Of the San Francisco Baths, will act as agents for the undersigned in the sale of Wigs, Whiskers, Beards, etc., for use on the stage and other purposes, the stock having been placed in their hands.

MRS. PHIPPS-BULER,

On Pandora street, two houses above the American Consul, is recommended by the undersigned as being fully competent to wait on Ladies at their own residences to dress and arrange their hair for balls, weddings, and all occasions of a similar nature. All orders entrusted to the above agents may be relied on for execution with three months from date.

se15-2w J. E. MEYER.

A By-Law to amend the By-Law Entitled a By-Law to fix the compensation of the City Surveyor and Water Works Commissioner.

WHEREAS FOR SOME TIME THE OFFICES of City Surveyor, Engineer of the Water Works and Water Works Commissioner have respectively been held by one person;

And whereas the said office of Water Works Commissioner has recently been separated from the said other offices, and it is desirable that a person other than the said City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer should be appointed thereto;

And whereas it is expedient to increase the amount of compensation to be paid to the said City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer for his service in those capacities;

Be it, therefore, enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. Thomas Russell, Esquire, Collector and Assessor of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, is hereby appointed Water Works Commissioner.

2. Whilst the said Thomas Russell shall continue to hold the office of Assessor and Collector of the said City of Victoria, he shall receive no salary or remuneration as Water Works Commissioner.

3. Section 2 of the By-Law entitled, "A By-Law to fix the compensation of the City Surveyor and Water Works Commissioner," is hereby repealed, but such repeal shall not revive any By-Law, or section of By-Law repealed by said Section 2. In lieu of the said Section 2, the following clauses shall be inserted:

The City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer shall, whilst he shall continue to be employed, receive as remuneration a salary at the rate of One hundred and twenty-five dollars per month.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Water Works Commissioner any City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer Salary By-Law, 1878."

Passed the Municipal Council this 11th day of September, 1878.

R. FINLAYSON, Mayor.
{SEAL} WILLIAM LEIGH,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.
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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH BOARD, for three gentlemen, in a private house. Apply on Rae street, fourth house above Douglas. se18

Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, SEPT. 22ND, 1878.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept. 21—Str Isabel, Pt Townsend
Str Olympia, Portland
Str Tacoma, Pt Townsend
Bk Victoria, Honolulu
Sch General Harney, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Sept. 21—Str Isabel, Pt Townsend
Str Olympia, Pt Townsend
Str Tacoma, Pt Townsend
Str Otter, Wrangel

BIRTHS.

At New Westminster, on the 19th inst., the wife of W. J. French, of a son.

IMPORTS.

Per str Olympia, fm Portland—2700 qr sks and 1700 pks flour, 82 bxs apples, 33 bxs canned fruit, 3 bales paper, 9 stoves, 1 pkg pots, 1 bdl stovepipe, 1 case tinware, 572 ft ash lumber, 303 sks bran, 17 sks wheat, 3 bxs eggs, 1 bag Graham flour, 23 barrels, 23 tanks, 1 bx butter, 46 sks middlings, 2 cs ice, 3 cs 2 bls goods.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str Olympia, fm Portland—GM, Welch, Rithet & Co, F Neufelder, A Bossi & Co, OC, JC (NW), H Golding (Soda Ck), C&R. Stahlschmidt & Ward, JW (NW), RWD (NW), H Bornstien, JR&Co, Keaster, HR&Co, F, JRH, HC, J Lovett.

AUCTION SALES TO-MORROW.

J. P. DAVIES & CO., will sell at 11 o'clock, at salesrooms, a variety of Goods, ex Lady Head.

ALSO, at 12 o'clock, noon, the Schooner Experiment together with Chains, Anchors, Boat, Sails, &c.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES. ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

The Chinese Strike.

It was asserted last evening that the Chinese boot and shoe hands and some of the house servants, who recently went on strike, have decided to return to their employment on Monday and await the decision of the Supreme Court as to the legality of the tax. The strike has puzzled us from the first. We could never understand why those Chinese who were not asked to pay the tax did not continue to work until called on. The Chinese merchants publish a card in this issue disclaiming any connection with the abandonment of their situations by the laboring class of their fellowcountrymen. The strike may prove to have been the result of a panic caused by the seizure of the goods; but it had the appearance of a preconcerted arrangement. A number of situations previously held by Chinese are now filled by white servants, and there is no reason why the Chinese should longer almost monopolize the laundry and wood businesses.

[Last night we learned that a compromise had been effected—the Government surrendering the goods seized on security being furnished, and all hands agreeing to await the action of the Goverement at Ottawa. The Chinese will resume work and business to-day.]

Cariboo News.

The Enterprise Company have removed all the machinery to the Enterprise mill and will be ready to commence crushing by the 1st October. The mine looks exceedingly well. The result of the 3 assays of average ore was $97.85, $708.28, $75.24—the result being so large the second was reassayed and reached $720.66 to the ton. By yesterday's express some rock from the central ledge of Walker's location came down. The same will assay as high as $20,000 to the ton. It is now proven beyond a doubt that the Enterprise has a valuable mine and will be able to declare a dividend before the close of the year.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—Yesterday afternoon, during the prevalence of the heavy gale, Mr. A. H. Gouge, who was taking a stroll in the vicinity of Medana's Grove observed a boat containing four small boys near Brotchie's Ledge. The frail craft was entirely at the mercy of the billows, which had been lashed into fury, and for some time it seemed that she must inevitably be capsized. Gradually, however, she neared the strand and when within a few yards of Mr. Gouge, who had gone to the beach to warn the lads of their danger, two of them were swept from the boat and immersed in the foaming surf. Mr. Gouge, taking in the situation at a glance, hurried to the rescue of the boys and saved them from a watery grave. Three of the boys, in answer to Mr. Gouge, said that they saw the other lad going out from the harbor in the boat and accompanied him in order that they might see the "big waves." One of the boys gave the name of Cook, but Mr. Gouge failed to ascertain the names of the other three. The boat, which is a large one, was hauled up on the beach where she now lies awaiting a claimant.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt arrived here at 5.30 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster with the up-country mails and express, 12 bales of wool for A. B. Gray, 29 bales for E. Marvin and the following passengers:—D. Oppenheimer and wife, Harris and wife, Mrs. J. Hunter, Mrs. T. Cudlip, Miss Deningen, Dr. Thompson, T. Kringer, M. C. Watson, John Blair, A. J. Mouat, W. Brown, James Inch, R. Ersine, Geo. Webb, H. Doyle, John Robson, C. G. Major and R. Irving.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise arrived here at 4:30 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster, having experienced a living gale during the trip. She brought 1300 cases of salmon from Ewen & Wise's cannery for the baak Lady Head and the following passengers: Mrs. Berry, Miss Gowen, Miss Walsh, Capt. Raymur, H. Nelson, W. Ladner, R. Cridge, J. McDougall, Ethridge, Marks, F. Bagot, J. Wilson, W. J. Scratchley, E. J. Betts. B. J. Grahame.

CHARTERED.—Messrs. Stahlschmidt & Ward yesterday received a cablegram from their London agent announcing the charter of the British ship Hertfordshire A. A. 1. She will sail from Liverpool for Victoria about the beginning of November, and will come to the consignment of the above firm. Intending shippers therefore will have an opportunity of mailing their orders in good time.

FAILED TO CONNECT.—Owing either to fog or smoke from bush fires, the Fraser River steamers failed to connect with the steamer Enterprise at New Westminster yesterday. The steamer Wilson G. Hunt, however, waited for their arrival and brought down the up-country mails and express last evening.

FIRST INSTALMENT.—The first instalment of the equinox came along yesterday. It was cool and pleasant and drove off the fog.

Political Meeting at Colwood.

A meeting of the electors was held at Colwood on Friday evening. Mr. Arthur was voted to the chair, and Mr. Harman acted as secretary. Mr. Dalby was the first speaker. He stated his reasons for retiring in favor of Sir John Macdonald. After this Mr. DeCosmos was called upon to address the meeting. He declined, saying that if he spoke before any other candidate present his remarks would be criticized and his ideas stolen. Mr. J. P. Davies refused to speak as Mr. DeCosmos had been called on first. The sense of the meeting was then taken and by a vote of 191 to 12 it was resolved that Mr. DeCosmos should speak first. The hon. gentleman again declined, but commenced to launch out into personalities against Mr. Davies, terming him a traitor to British Columbia. Mr. Davies made reply that if there was ever a traitor to the liberal-conservative party, and to Sir John A. Macdonald more especially, it was Mr. DeCosmos himself, who, when Mr. Henry Nathan, late senior member for, the district and Mr. J. S. Thompson, member for Cariboo invited Sir John A. to a banquet at Ottawa, had absolutely declined to attend because the Conservative party had been defeated. After a running fire of words between the two gentlemen, in which Mr. DeCosmos lost control of his temper, Mr. Wilby of Esquimalt called upon the electors present to speak on the questions at issue. As nobody evinced a desire to do so Mr. Wilby proceeded to give his views and attempted to show that it would be of great benefit to the country if Sir John A. Macdonald were elected in conjunction with Mr. DeCosmos by acclamation. After a vote of thanks to the chairman and secretary, the meeting dissolved. During the proceedings Mr. DeCosmos circulated a requisition, alleged to have been signed by some sixteen electors of Metchison District, in favor of returning himself and Sir John A. Macdonald by acclamation. The requisition met with very little consideration at the hands of those present.

I. O. Good Templars.

The Grand Lodge of the I. O. G. T. of Washington Territory and British Columbia held its ninth annual session in Seattle, W.T., on the 18th and 19th inst. There was present a goodly number of delegates from the various lodges in the jurisdiction and all seemed to take a lively interest in the proceedings throughout. The reports from the various lodges were in some measure encouraging; but not up to what was expected. According to the reports of the officers there have been seven new lodges and four juvenile temples organized during the year. Prior to the close of the session the Grand Lodge contributed the sum of $50 for the benefit of their southern brethren suffering from yellow fever. The following is a list of Grand Lodge officers for the ensuing year:

G.W.C.T., Bro. F. Kennedy; G.W.C. Bro. W. Raybould; G.W.V.T., Sister E. Shakespeare; G.W. Sect., Bro. A. Weir; G.W.A.S., Bro. N. S. Porter; G.W. Treas. Bro. W. H. Roberts; G.W.M., Bro. B. W. Hazen; G.W.D.M., Sister M. Campbell; G. W. Chap., Bro. G. H. Whitworth; G.W.I.G., Sister E. F. McNatt; G.W. O.G., Bro. L. F. Bauman; G.M., Sister S. Bean; G.S.J.T., Sister L. Calvert; P.G.W.C.T., Bro. N. Shakespeare.

The next Grand Lodge session will be held in Port Townsend, W.T., the first Tuesday in June, 1879.

New Westminster District.

[Guardian.]

Some of our influential citizens telegraphed to Sir John A. Macdonold, proposing to return him by acclamation for this district.

Mr. Holbrook's fine new building on Front street are making excellent progress; the massive sills are all nearly in position. H. Eickhoff's splendid new store is nearly completed.

[Herald.]

The "run" of cohoes has set in, and fish are believed to be plentiful, but the smoky state of the atmosphere interferes seriously with fishing, as "drifts" have to be run by guess.

A man named Wm. Thompson was seriously if not fatally injured at Port Moody on Wednesday by a falling tree. He was brought in to the Hospital here, where he now lies in a precarious condition.

Arrangements have been made for the re-opening of St. Andrew's Church on the 13th of next month. The Rev. Mr. McGregor, of Victoria, will conduct special services on that day.

GAZETTE NOTICES.—Debentures from 85 to 89, Loan Act, 1876, will be paid at the Treasury on the 21st March, 1879.... All taxes are to be deemed delinquent if unpaid for 60 days after the final revision of the roll in each district.... By an order in Council it is provided that no fees be allowed to justices of the peace of Provincial funds.

FROM PORTLAND.—The steamer Olympia arrived here at 12.30 a.m. yesterday from Portland with 160 tons of freight consisting principally of flour. She left Portland on the morning of the 19th, and Astoria on the morning of the 20th inst. and will leave for Puget Sound with freight and passengers at 5 a.m. to-morrow.

THE FLEMING CUP.—Shooting for this trophy took place yesterday at New Westminster and Clover Point Range. The weather here was most unfavorable owing to the prevalence of a gale, and it will not be a matter of surprise to learn that the Mainlanders have defeated the Islanders.

MARINE.—The ship Frank Pendleton left in tow of the steamer Alexander for Nanaimo yesterday to load coal for San Francisco, and the bark Victoria is still anchored in Royal Roads, seeking.

GEM ALBUMS can be had at the new Photograph gallery by calling at once and registering your name. Albums will arrive on Monday, September 23rd. *

DELINQUENT STOCK.—At the sale of delinquent B. C. M. & M. stock held yesterday the company bought in 3400 shares at 10c.

THE ELECTORS are directed to Mr. Davies' published reasons for declining to retire from the contest for Ottawa.

H. M. S. DARING, six days from Esquimalt, reached San Francisco on the 11th inst.

THE sum of $21,159 in treasure was shipped by the British Columbia Express Company yesterday from the Mainland.

DR. COOL'S SAPONACEOUS TOOTH PASTE, prepared and sold by A. B. Cooke, Yates and Broad streets *

Municipal Police Court.

[Before H. C. Courtney, Esq.]

Sept. 21, 1878.

Willis Bond, summoned by William Anderson and charged with neglecting to pay him the sum of $8.25 for wages, was ordered to pay $6.25 and $3 costs; in default to be levied by distress.

Patrick Murphy, charged by Thomas Martin with damaging a quantity of lumber. Hearing further adjourned until Wednesday next.

Ah Fook, a Chinaman, charged with stealing water from a tap on Fisgard street without the consent of the Water Commissioner, was ordered to be imprisoned 24 hours.

Mr. Bunster and Vancouver District.

VICTORIA, Sept. 21.

EDITOR COLONIST:—The correspondent "Columbian" in this day's issue of *The Colonist*, is disposed to almost ignore Mr. Bunster as a candidate for Vancouver District. This I consider rather unfair. It may be true that Mr. Bunster has not accomplished much for the Province at Ottawa; but, for the matter of that, who of our members has been successful in promoting legislation that has proved useful or beneficial to the Province? Mr. Bunster at least enjoys the distinction of having *tried* to confer benefits on Vancouver. He has consistently supported the party that has just swept the Dominion and has claims on the new Government that cannot be ignored by Sir John Macdonald. For my part, I heartily wish Mr. Bunster, with all his faults, success. I greatly prefer him to the untried men who are now canvassing the district for votes. NANAIMO.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

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Morning Dispatch.

EUROPE.

ROME, Sept. 20.—It is stated that the Vatican is determined to send a political delegate or Charge d'Affaires to London, even although official relations with Great Britain cannot be secured.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—There is an uneasy feeling that Lord Beaconsfield's Indian policy will result in war with Afghanistan and the re-opening of the whole Eastern question. It is not generally believed that the Russians will evacuate Bulgaria as stipulated or that Greece will peacefully submit to Turkey's non-compliance with its demands.

PARIS, Sept. 20.—Following is the text of a portion of Gambetta's speech at Rouens on Wednesday against the Ultramontanes:—"The clerical question—that is to say, the question of relations between Church and State—keeps all other questions in suspense here. It is that spirit of the Church which takes refuge and gathers strength that I denounce. An over-increasing danger to society runs from the Ultramontane spirit—the spirit of the Vatican, of the Syllabus, which is nothing but abuse of ignorance with the purpose of enslaving it. I have spoken of relations between Church and State. I am perfectly aware that to be correct I should have said the relations between the Churches and State; but from a governmental and national point of view it is only Ultramontanism which persists in opposition to the State. The clerical spirit endeavors to filtrate into everything—into army and magistracy, and there is this that is peculiar, it is always when the fortune of a country is failing that Jesuitism rises. Far be it from me to wish to put shackles on liberty. I am an obstinate partisan of liberty of conscience; but ministers of religion have duties to the State and what we exact is fulfilment of those duties. Apply the laws—all the laws, to these absolutions and indulgences. If law is applied order will be restored in France without persecution by simply continuing traditions.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 20.—Deaths, 69; cases, one hundred and sixty-five, of which 81 were prior to the 17th. The following dispatch was received this morning via Vicksburg:—

GREENVILLE, Miss., Sept. 18.—Out of five hundred people who remained here nearly 400 cases and 162 deaths have occurred up to date. The fever must abate soon for want of material. Twenty-two deaths in the last 14 hours.

New Autumn Goods--First Arrival Now Opening.

Estamenes in navy, black, seal, bronze and myrtle. Homespuns, Beiges, Cheviots, Athól glacés. Russell and Persian Cords; Winceys, black and colored Paletots (latest fashion); plain and checked Tweed Ulsters. Tartan Honey-comb, &c., Shawls and Wraps; Felt, Quilted Alpaca and Satin Skirts; fancy checked Coatings; Beaver, Witney, Dogskin, Nap, and other Jacketings; Furs and Fur Trimmings; new Wool Fringes; Blankets; Welsh and Saxony Flannels; fine French Twilled Opera Flannels; Spoonbill-busk, Patent Spine-Supporter and new Belt Corsets; Silk, Alpaca and Zanella Umbrellas (with the patent storm shield); Children's White Fur Jackets; Cashmere Hoods; Winter Flowers; Feathers; Wings; Millinery; Ornaments, &c., &c.

* THOS. WILSON & CO.

REMOVED,

A. GILMORE wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to the Commission Store on Johnson street, where he will continue to sell at invoice prices.

Garments made to order at cost, as he is closing out that branch of his business

NON-ELECTRO-PLATING. — For Plating all articles of Brass, Copper and German Silver with pure Silver. Will restore the plating when worn off from silver-plated ware and clean and polish it. Warranted to contain no Quicksilver, Acid or Poison For sale by M. W. WAITT & Co. *dw

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr. Cool. He will guarantee all his work *

European Correspondence.

[From our own Correspondent.]

THE LAND OF SCOTT.

There are few places in Europe which have been visited by more people or have been often or better described than Melrose Abbey. Hardly any one of the slightest literary pretensions can be found who cannot recall a picture of it from some point of view. Probably there are not more than three or four ruins in all Europe which can compare with Melrose in interest. While it is a complete ruin, for it is unoccupied and without a roof even, it is yet in so perfect a state of preservation as to show its wonderful architecture, and to give a good understanding of what its beauty must have been before it was wantonly and wickedly destroyed. It has the additional charm of having its ragged and crumbling walls so covered with ivy, that beautiful mantle of nature, that the harshness and desolation of the ordinary ruin are entirely wanting, and from the dead past seems to have sprung a joyous and living present.

The structure whose ruins are so much admired was commenced in 1326, although a building devoted to some form of religious worship had occupied the same place in the immediate vicinity for eight hundred years previous. At first the Abbey was a very small building costing no more than two thousand pounds of the money of that period. It was occupied by a community of Cistercian monks, who were enjoined by the rules of their order to constant and faithful labor. They therefore engaged in agriculture, in transcribing and illuminating manuscripts, and particulrly in the construction and ornamentation of grand buildings whose ruins are now found all over England and Scotland. There is no better picture of patience and perseverance than these painstaking monks laboring faithfully year after year with their own hands wielding the mallet and slowly cutting out those wonderful ornamental carvings of flowers, plants, and curious and grotesque figures with which both the outside and inside of the church were covered. Much of this work yet remains, and even after the storms of hundreds of years have beaten upon it shows the wonderful delicacy and beauty it originally had.

Entering through an iron gate on the west side of the grounds we are at once in the midst of the ruins. On the right is a long corridor which is filled with curious old monuments, most of them so worn by time that their inscriptions cannot be read. Passing partly through this and turning to the right we enter the cemetery by a narrow doorway under the south window. The whole south front is the best preserved side of any of the building and although weather worn and decaying is grand in its proportions. On one of the towers can yet be seen a part of the face of the old clock, with part of one of the hands yet remaining. The paint has long since gone from its face and the boards even are cracked and weather worn. The venerable and aged face, as if it were just dropping into the tomb, needs no inscription of *tempus fugit* to impress on us the fact that time flies. Passing around to the east side we see the east window which is a marvel of beauty as it stands in the ruined wall. It it 57 feet high by 28 broad and is divided into five parts by perpendicular mullions, and these are subdivided into a large number of smaller sections by delicate stone work much of which remains until the present day. On the extreme right the massive corner is entirely covered with a wonderful growth of ivy, which completely obscures the stone work and falls in gracefully swooping curves toward the ground. On the ruins at the left on the corner of the wall a rose bush was in full bloom fifty feet from the ground, while birds were merrily singing and flying back and forth from their nests in the ivy and shrubbery on the ruined wall.

From within the ruins are equally striking and impressive. Although the sky is now the only covering of the Abbey, one cannot look down its vast length and see what must have the majestic spring of its grand vaulted ceiling, without feeling a thrill of admiration as he catches in imagination a glimpse of what must have been the beauty of the building when it was complete. In accordance with the Romish custom in the period in which the Abbey was built, the church is in the form of a Latin cross, with a length of 258 feet and an extreme width of 137.

Within the church are buried many men who were noted in their time. Here was interred Robert Bruce's heart and here are the remains of the brave Douglas, the hero of Chevy Chase. Here is also the tomb of Scott's "wizard of the North." Many of the inscriptions are very quaint, both in thought and expression. The brackets of a niche are supported by the figures of two monks with flowing robes, and on the fillet of one and beneath the other are the following nearly obliterated inscriptions, in abbreviated Latin: "Going whithersoever he would," and "When Jesus came the age of darkness ceased." Above the door of a stairway is a shield with a compass and this inscription:

"As the compass goes straight around
So does truth and loyalty, without doubt,
Look to the end, quoth John Murvo."

On a small stone, in the form of four horse shoes fastened together, is the inscription, "Pray for the soul of brother Peter, the treasurer." Whether "brother Peter" had discovered the modern process of "hypothecating" the funds of the treasury and was afterwards smitten with death bed repentance, we do not know, as this is all the record he has left us.

The cemetery attached to the Abbey, which is a part of a sheep pasture, contains many half buried, half worn out monuments, and among them one tombstone of as late date as 1858.

Probably there is not one traveler in a thousand who is able to take Sir Walter Scott's advice to visit Melrose "by the pale moonlight," and indeed it is stated that he never made such a visit himself, but it can be readily seen that under the favoring light of a mid-summer moon the ruins would have a peculiar beauty, and call forth all the romantic and poetical in a man's nature. Melrose Abbey is one of those places where one would like to spend days instead of a few hours, and drink the inspiration which comes from its contemplation. Examine it as often as you please or return to it after an absence of years and you will always find some new beauty in it.

From Melrose a drive of three or four miles along a pleasant English road bordered with hedges, brings us to Abbotsford, the home of Sir Walter Scott. Its castle-like towers do not come in sight until we are close to it as the building is situated on low ground. The structure is a curious compound of castle and residence, and was built, or at least rebuilt, to its owner's wishes. There are four or five rooms to which the public are admitted at twenty-five cents per head. Indeed, it is as bad in Europe as at Niagara Falls—you cannot get a sight of anything worth seeing without first paying some one a fee. We were first shown the library, a room at least fifty feet long, which contains books on all sides from floor to ceiling, some 20,000 volumes in all. Here is the large leather-covered armchair in which Sir Walter sat and the plain table at which he wrote. Joining this is a little study, with one small window, just large enough to comfortably hold a chair and table. In this room the great novelist did much of his hardest work. Connected with the library is the reception room which contains many portraits and curiosities presented to him. Next to this is a room used as an armory which contains a fine collection of weapons. Among the notable things in the armory we noticed Rob Roy's gun, marked with his initials; Roman spears; Montrose's sword; a pair of pistols taken from Napoleon's carriage at Waterloo; the armour of one of the kings of Scotland; the rusty keys of the old Tolbooth at Edinburg, and a fine collection of modern and middle age arms from all over the world.

The entrance hall is also filled with curiosities. Here are several full suits of armor with lances in their iron hands as if only waiting for the spirits of their former occupants to return. Here are also battle axes, maces, huge two-handed swords, spears, cross bows, and mementos from many of the fierce and bloody battles with which Scotland's history is filled. One of the rooms has a case containing the suit of clothes he wore at his death, the plaid, trowsers, "Brother Jonathan" striped vest, the large shoes, the broad skirted green coat and his stout walking stick.

Among the pictures in the various rooms are "Beardie," one of Sir Walter's ancestors, who let his beard grow for years untrimmed to show his sympathy for the dethroned Stuarts; a head of Mary, Queen of Scotland, said to have been sketched a few hours after death by an artist who gained admission to the room where her body was, in the assumed character of an embalmer's assistant, a grim and stern Cromwell, and many others the greater part family protraits. One room of curiosities consists almost entirely of presents made him by distinguished people. Among these a silver cup given him by Lord Byron is of special interest. The views from the rooms, particularly the library. are fine but not extended.

"Esquire" and "Gentleman."

In these days when anybody is "Esquire," and when everybody ought to be a gentleman, difficulties arise when these terms are used by way of legal addition to a man's name who makes an affidavit in a court of justice. The opinion of Lord Justice Colton is that though the legal description of a solicitor who had made an affidavit in the Court of Appeal was correctly a gentleman, that that term was very indefinite, and solicitor ought to have been used in order that the Court might know his real position in life. The Lord Justice added that the term "Esquire" was even worse than that of "gentleman," for it afforded no information whatever to the Court, and in this case a Justice of the Peace who had made an affidavit ought to have been described by that title and not by the addition "Esquire." *Apropos* of the matter, a quotation from Sir Thomas Smith was made—"As for gentlemen they be made good cheap in this Kingdom, for whosoever studieth the laws of the realm he shall be called himself and shall be taken for a gentleman." What the worthy knight, had he been alive to-day, would have said on the subject of Esquires, that are more plentiful than blackberries, I do not know. But the quotation reminds me of an anecdote in connection with a tradition that there exists an Act of Parliament, which I have never been able to find, by which barristers are made legally Esquires, and that, therefore, to them the title is not one of courtesy but of legal right. A solicitor early in the present century having an altercation with a prominent member of the Old Bailey, was rebuked by the barrister with the not uncommon question under similar circumstances of, "Do you know who you are talking to?" "Yes," replied the attorney, "I know who I am talking to very well. You are an Esquire by Act of Parliament, but the Almighty himself could not make you a gentleman."

A PRESCRIPTION.—The Kingston *Freeman* tell this story: A certain young man of this city being out of employment requested of a former employer a letter of recomendation to aid him in securing a situation. The letter was written and handed to the applicant, who was totally unable to read it, as was every other person to whom it was shown. A friend advised him to take it to a printing office, where it would be deciphered, as compositors are noted for being able to make out the worst specimens of chirography. It was given to compositors in various printing establishments, and in turn gave up without being deciphered. At last, as a forlorn hope, it was given to the prescription clerk in a drug store, who has the reputation of being able to read anything. The man of drugs took the screed, gazed at it long and thoughfully and finally seized an empty quart bottle and then made a raid around the store, taking some fluid of various colours from sundry bottles, and finally shaking the compound most vigorously; then handing it to the possessor of the letter of recommendation, as he remarked to that much astounded individual. "Two dollars, and a very good cough mixture it is!"

HARD TIMES IN LONDON.—The signs of the times are getting more legible now, and somehow the world is getting out of gear, owing to the want of ready money. Houses are put up at auction, but no bidders come; the picture-dealers say times never were so bad, and artists are in vain executing their best works of art, but the money is not forthcoming. The yearlings at the Middle Park were, according to the accounts in the papers, and from private intelligence which I had from a very cute Yorkshireman, who is a regular attendant at sales, literally given away. The last 11 colts and fillies of the best blood went for forties and fifties, and gradually up to a hundred, 10 out of the lot only reaching three figures. Some attribute it to the alteration of the day of sale, but I fear it is the same story of the world living too fast.—*London Letter.*

TAKE NOTICE.

Ex Dakota I have received the celebrated Philadelphia Lawn Mower; Berrien's Mechanical Plaiter, Fluter, and Ruffler; Johnson's Plaiter; also, a large stock of the world-renowned first prize Osborn A Machines. The manufacturers of the Osborn machines issue a genuine certificate of warranty for five years to all purchasers, *but not for eternity.* Parties desiring machines or fittings can depend upon satisfaction by applying at the agency where is to be found the largest assortment of Machines, Needles, and Attachments in the Province. Repairs to machines neatly executed. In stock, Florence Family and Manufacturing, Grover & Baker Family and Manufacturing;

Howe,	Guelph,
Lockman,	Webster,
Secore,	Wheeler & Wilson,
New American,	Raymond No. 1,
Elliptic,	Common Sense,
Bartlett,	Florence,
Singer,	Home Shuttle,
Grosham,	Wanzer.
New Wilson,	

THOMAS FLETCHER,
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Blank Book Manufactory and Book Bindery.

Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets, Receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co's store. *

WARRANTED FOR EVER.—The manufacturer of the Raymond Sewing Machines now issues a certificate of warranty to all purchasers of sewing machines of his manufacture. The "Raymond" has been for ten years in constant use by the British Columbia public. They give unqualified satisfaction; they do everything; they do it well. Every new improvement is attached to the "Raymond." Its popularity and its sales increase. Call and see the "guarantee" which is furnished with each "Raymond" Sewing Machine. A new supply of these unequalled machines recently received. A. B. Gray & Co., sole agents for British Columbia.

N. B.—Attachments for all kinds of sewing machines on hand, including new descriptions of hemmers, tuckers, frillers, etc. *

NEW AUTUMN GOODS.—FIRST ARRIVAL. NOW OPENING.—A general assortment, including Dress Fabrics, and the latest styles in Ladies' and Children's black and colored Cloth. etc., Paletots.

* THOS WILSON & Co.

BUY PENDRAY'S SOAP.—It is the best and cheapest in the market, will cleanse thoroughly without hurting the fabric or hands. For sale at all the principal Groceries; wholesale at the Factory, Humboldt street, Victoria. *

W. R. CLARKE & CO.

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N. B—Parties desirous of selling their Stock, Stock in-Trade, or Furniture, and not wishing the trouble o an Auction Sale, can find a Cash Buyer alling on the above.

AUCTION SALE.

The undersigned have received instructions from

F. G. VERNON, ESQ.,

To sell by Public Auction at his residence James Bay, on

Wednesday the 25th Septr.,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A.M.

All his MAGNIFICENT FURNITURE, comprising, Drawing Room Suites, Solid Walnut Frames handsomely carved and covered with Blue Silk Rep, Marble Topped Centre Tables, Mirrors, etc. Dining Room Furniture, Side Board, a (Specialty) Pillar Extension Dining Table, Chairs, Bedroom Sets in Walnut, Marble Topped, Spring and other Mattresses, etc.

One PONY CARRIAGE, and a set of Single Harness, new, Silver Mounted.

—ALSO—

A TOP-BUGGY in good condition.

The Furniture can be seen between the hours of 10 a. m. and 5 p. m., Tuesday, 24th.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
se17dw Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALES.

TO-MORROW.
AUCTION.

The undersigned have received instructions to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

For account of whom it may concern,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

On Monday, Sept. 23, 1878,

At Salesroom, Wharf Street, the

SCHOONER EXPERIMENT,

As she now lies near Colvin & Co.'s Shipyard.

—ALSO—

Anchor, Chains, Sails, Rigging and Blocks.

1 BOAT with OARS and ROWLOCKS, Ship's Side Light, Compasses, &c., &c.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se17 Auctioneers.

TO-MORROW.
UNDERWRITER'S SALE!

Monday, September 23, '78,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

AT SALESROOMS, WHARF STREET.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have been instructed by Messrs.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE

To sell at Public Auction, for account of whom it may concern,

Ex Barque Lady Head, Capt. Barfold, from London,

T. F. N. in diamond, No. 4.

1 Bale containing—

10 pieces Hessians 45 in., 830 yds.

—ALSO—

By order of Lloyd's Agent, Damaged on voyage of importation.

78 over N.W., L.L. under.
1698, 1699, 2 chests Tea.
1766, 1 half-chest, 1777, 1 box Tea.
78 over N.W.
4323, 4316, 4331, 4332, 4 chests Tea, Congo.
" 4350, 4340, 4351, 4341, 4355, 4338, 4348, 7 half-chests Tea, Congo.
" 4314, 4311, 4304, 4287, 4307, 4294, 4299, 4313, 4286, 4291, 10 half-chests Congo Tea.
4363, box do
1 case 2 doz. pint Sauce.
5 cases, each 2 doz. half-pint Sauce.
2 cases LL Whiskey.
12 boxes each 20lbs. Candles.
2 boxes each 25lbs. Candles.
78 over N.W., L.L. under.
1022, pts., 1016, 1017, qts., 3 cases Champagne.
78 over N.W.
1619-21, 3 cases pts. Champagne
1578, cask Venetian Red Paint.

TERMS CASH.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se20 Auctioneers.

REAL ESTATE SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions to sell, by Public Auction, at Salesroom, Wharf street,

Tuesday, Septr. 24th, 1878,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

Town Lot 1728, Superior street, James Bay, situate in the rear of the Government Buildings.

Also, 2 Acres, part of Section Seven, Saanich Road, close to Dr. Tolmie.

This fine piece of alder bottom land is known as the Institute property.

Deeds at buyer's expense. Terms Cash.

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REALESTATE SALE

SUBURBAN PROPERTY.

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Have received instructions to sell by Public Auction at Salesrooms, Wharf Street,

Saturday, Sept. 28th, 1878,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

All those valuable Residence Sites, being part of the well known

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This Desirable Property has been subdivided and laid out into two and one-half to three and one-half Acre Lots.

STREETS RUN THROUGH THE PROPERTY 100 FEET WIDE.

Plans of the property can be seen at Salesrooms.

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STOCKS AND MINES.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)

Location of Works - Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo, B.C.

ASSESSMENT NO. 1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 20th day of August, 1878, an assessment of one cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the said Company, payable on the 6th day of September, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville B. C. Any Stock upon which said Assessment shall remain unpaid on the 27th day of September, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 24th day of October, 1878, to pay the delinquent Assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale. CHARLES WILSON,
se8dw Secretary, Barkerville, B.C.

NOTICE.

COOPER GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED.)

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY GENERAL meeting of this company will be held at the rooms of the British Columbia Mining Stock Board, in the City of Victoria, on Tuesday, October 1st, 1878, at 3 o'clock p.m. By order C. MORTON, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 3rd, 1878. se3

OFFICE OF THE

ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDers of the Enterprise Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the rooms of the British Columbia Stock Board on Friday, the 20th September, at 2 o'clock p.m., to take into consideration the purchase of the mine owned by S. Walker, situated on Mosquito Creek, and the increase of the capital stock of the company.
D. GUTMANN, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 20th 1878. au31

COOPER GOLD & SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Principal Place of Business - - Victoria
Lolation of Works - - - - - - Cariboo

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CALL No. ONE (1) of Five Cents per Share upon the Capital Stock of the Cooper Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited), made on the Tenth day of April A. D. 1878, is now due and unpaid in respect of the Shares hereinafter specified, and that there are now due and unpaid upon the following described Shares, on account of the said assessment, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such Shares, namely:—

Name	No. of Certificate.	Shares.	Amount.
John Kurtz	46	50	2 50
do	51	106	5 30
do	52	1406	70 30
Van Volkenburgh Bros	101	100	5 00
do	102	100	5 00
do	103	100	5 00
do	91	100	5 00
do	106	100	5 00
Wm. P. Sayward	281	50	2 50
Richard Allen	635	100	5 00
do	636	100	5 00
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The above mentioned Shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amounts due, with interest thereon at the rate of One per cent. per month from the Twelfth day of May, A. D. 1878, and expenses, will be sold at Public Auction at the British Columbia Mining Stock Board Room, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Saturday the 28th day of September, 1878, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon.
Dated 3rd September, A. D. 1878.
By order of the Directors.
se3dw C. MORTON, Secretary.

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ABOVE Company will be held at Barkerville, on Thursday, October 3d, for the election of Directors. The Company's books will be closed on the 19th of September. Parties who cannot attend will please forward their proxies to the Secretary.
CHAS. WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, Sept. 3rd, 1878. se4dwtd

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING CO., LIMITED.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

SHAREHOLDERS WHO MAY FIND IT IMPOSsible to attend the General Meeting of this Company at Barkerville, on October 3rd, are requested to send proxies (forms to be obtained on application to Mr. Chas. Morton, Langley street, Victoria). Shareholders will please observe that Clause 45, Articles of Association, takes away the right to vote unless all calls have been previously paid.
CHARLES WILSON,
Barkerville, B. C., Sept. 7, 1878. se15

FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY, (LIMITED)

ASSESSMENT NO. 1 OF THREE-FOURTHS (¾) of one cent. per share has this day been levied, and is payable at the Company's Office in Stanley, or at their Office in Victoria, B. C., on or before Monday, 30th September next, and will be delinquent on that day. By order of the Directors.
W. W. DODD, Secretary.
Stanley, B. C., Aug. 30, 1878. se11

THE FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THIS COMPANY has been removed to Langley street, nearly opposite the Angel Hotel.
HENRY E. CROASDAILE,
au30 Secretary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING CO., (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 4 OF TWO AND A-HALF cents per Share has this day been levied, payable at the Company's office in Victoria on or before Tuesday, 24th September next, and will be delinquent on that date. By order of the Directors.
G. A. SARGISON.
Victoria, 29th August, 1878. au30

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S (Ex Army Med. Staff),

CHLORODYNE

IS THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE.

CAUTION.—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. P. Wood stated that DR. COLLS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of CHLORODYNE; that the story of the defendant, Freeman, being the inventor was deliberately untrue which he regretted had been sworn to. Eminent Hospital Physicians of London stated that Dr. J. Collis Browne was the discoverer of Chlorodyne; that they prescribe it largely and mean no other than Dr. Browne's.—See "Times," July 12, 1864.

Tee public, therefore, are cautioned against using any other than

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.

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This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, refreshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system, restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any of those unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvelous good effects and wonderful cures, while medical men extol its virtues most extensively, using it extensively in the following diseases:

Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, Coughs, Asthma, Cramp, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria.

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